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MEMORANDUM

To: GCMRC Cooperating Scientists

From: Barry D. Gold, Acting Chief

Subject: GCMRC Symposium on FY 1998 Scientific Results—Colorado River Ecosystem
(Reply due by December 18, 1998)

The Glen Canyon Adaptive Management Program is planning to conduct its February 16, 1999, Technical Workgroup meeting at the Albright Training Center, South Rim Village, Grand Canyon National Park. To facilitate information transfer between decisions makers and cooperating scientists, the GCMRC is organizing a symposium on results of FY 1998 monitoring and research in the Colorado River ecosystem on February 17-18-1999.

The February meeting will allow members of the Technical Work Group to interact directly with scientists and hear technical presentations on all aspects of currently funded science activities sponsored by the GCMRC. The symposium will also allow for cooperating scientists from all discipline areas to learn more about research developments in areas including GCMRC's Protocols Evaluation Program (PEP), development of the ecosystem conceptual model, the Information Technologies Program, and progress toward conducting future flow experiments. Attendance at this meeting will also allow scientists to become better acquainted with management goals and issues, as well as challenges of integrating science results that cross discipline boundaries.

Participation in the symposium is intended to fulfill each cooperating scientist's obligation to make an annual presentation to stakeholders and other scientists on preliminary project results. Information transfer of new science information to decision makers in a timely fashion is one of the vital roles played by the GCMRC and its cooperators.

Please indicate your ability to participate in the February symposium by contacting Serena Mankiller via e-mail: smankill@flagmail.wr.usgs.gov or by phone (520) 556-7094, before December 18, 1998. Information on limited accommodations at the Albright Training Center will be forwarded to participants upon confirmation of ability to attend the meeting.

Your ongoing support of the adaptive management process is greatly appreciated. I look forward to seeing you in February at the South Rim.

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Serena, Please include the following message in your next mailing to TWG. Thanks, Bob

We have reserved 20 dormitory rooms in Albright training center at Grand Canyon NP for use by GCMRC staff and scientists February 15, 16, 17, and 18 (all the rooms available there).

We've also checked on the availability of rooms with Grand Canyon Lodges for TWG members. Rooms are available at the following lodges and rates. Travelers should make their own reservations by calling National Park lodge reservations at (303) 297-2757. This is the "slow" season and plenty of rooms are still available in three complexes, but one lodge and restaurant (Maswick) will be closed for renovation and the canyonside rooms will probably fill up.

Yavapai \$98 + tax (The Yavapai cafeteria will be open)
Kachina and Thunderbird: \$107 parkside, \$117 canyonside (Most, but not all canyonside rooms have a view of the canyon. Trees obscure some views.)

The historic El Tovar lodge has very few rooms left for these dates. Check for availability and rates if you want to stay there.

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